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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
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Appl No. : 10/010,728 Confirmation No. 2689  
Applicant : Mark K. Goldstein  
Filed : November 9, 2001  
Title : NANO-SIZE GAS SENSOR SYSTEMS  
TC/A.U. : 2874  
Examiner : Ellen E. Kim  
Docket No. : 45915/AW/Q8  
Customer No. : 23363

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**Commissioner:**

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated September 24, 2003 for two months from December 24, 2003 to February 24, 2004.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	Fee
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$210	\$420	\$ 210

Submitted herewith is a check for \$210 to cover the cost of the extension.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number 45915/AW/Q8 with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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